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Local News!

IMPORTANT CHANGE

The Windsor Company Will Discontinue the Estey and Stone Mills.

WORK TO BE DONE AT THE EAGLE

Changes Which Have Been Contemplated for Some Time to be Effected at Once. The Mills Were Shut Down Today.

The changes to be made by the Windsor company in its cotton mills, which were planned several months ago and published in THE TRANSCRIPT at the time, will be begun at once.

The Eagle, Estey and Stone mills were shut down this noon and the Estey and Stone mills will not be started again by this company. By means of new and improved machinery the company is able to concentrate the business of the three mills under one roof and hereafter the work which has been done by all of the mills will be done at the Eagle mill. The same kind of goods will be made as before. The new machinery will be put in by the Lowell Machine shop and the Kitson Machine company of Lowell. The work will be done under the supervision of John Cumnock of Boston and it will take about one month to complete the change.

The Stone and Estey mills are offered for sale and if purchasers are not found the buildings will be torn down and the land will be placed upon the market. There is considerable land connected with the Stone mill property which is very valuable for business and residential purposes. The lot on which the mill stands has a long frontage on River street and extends up Brooklyn street to the carpet cleaning establishment of W. R. Clark & Son. The millpond can be emptied of water and filled in, which operation would produce a number of good building lots. There are also pieces of land on the south side of River street, each coming on River and Marshall streets. This makes three good business corners, for business found its way to that part of the city some time ago, and the land will not wait long for purchasers without the mill building if it does not readily sell in connection with it. The Estey mill site will also afford a number of good building lots in case the building is removed. The land has been surveyed and will be offered for sale as soon as it becomes clear that the old mills are not wanted for other industries.

The changes will be a benefit to the city in either case, as practically as much business will be done at the Eagle mill as has been done by the three, owing to the improved machinery which is to take the place of the old, and either the other mills will be put to new uses or the land they occupy will be covered with dwellings or business houses.

VISITORS FROM ABROAD.

Two South Africa Young Gentlemen the Guests of George M. Darby.

Messrs. McGregor and Murray of South Africa, who had been attending at Williamstown the meeting of the general committee of the World's Christian Students Federation, were the guests of George M. Darby Friday night and today. They are graduates of a college at Stellenbosch, South Africa, and are now continuing their studies at Edinburgh, Scotland. They came to this country to attend the Worlds Student's conference at Northfield and from there went to Williamstown to attend the above mentioned. They brought to Mr. Darby a letter of introduction from Mrs. Jannesch of Stellenbosch, who was formerly Miss Carrie Ingraham of this city.

This morning Mr. Darby took his visitors through some of the shoe shops and factories of the city and they were greatly pleased with the evidence of thrift and prosperity. They left on the 3 o'clock train this afternoon for New York and will go from there to Niagara Falls, Chicago and Montreal before returning to Scotland.

FRIGHTENED BY BEARS.

A Fisherman Has an Unpleasant Experience in Broad Brook Wilds.

W. H. Ripley of this city went fishing the other day along the head waters of Broad brook above the old Haskins sawmill. He was working along quietly down the stream about four miles from any human habitation, when suddenly in a small clearing he came upon two cubs not more than half grown. When the cubs saw him they set up a whining like that of frightened pups and shambled away toward the neighboring underbush. In a very short time Mr. Ripley heard a crashing in the brush and the next instant the mother bear appeared with fire flashing from her eyes and very disquieting grunts issuing rom her throat. Mr. Ripley, who was unarmed, remained motionless and was soon relieved to see the bear move away with her young playing about her as happy as kittens. Though greatly alarmed when he first discoverd the presence of bears, the fisherman proceeded with his angling after they had retired and was rewarded by freedom from further harrowing incidents and by a well filled basket.

—The Men's Sunday evening club of the Congregational church will hold its annual meeting Sunday evening.

OLD-TIME EVENT

Successful Entertainment at Houghton Memorial Library Building.

THEY DANCED THE MINUET

Fort Massachusetts Historical Society and Daughters of American Revolution Planned Very Well. Good Supper and Attractive Dancing.

Benjamin F. Estes, a Grand Army man living on Richview avenue, has suffered much more during the past few years than he ever did in the army. He has been afflicted for a long time with facial neuralgia, for the relief of which he underwent two operations in Boston some time ago. The trouble recurred and Dr. Hobbie was called. He performed an operation, but still Mr. Estes continued to suffer severely at times.

On Friday, July 2, Dr. Hobbie performed his second operation on Mr. Estes at the hospital, and it was a very important one. The patient's left cheek was laid open and the nerves of the upper jaw, with all their terminal branches, were removed. The nerve cavities of the jaw were chiseled out and then couterized with a white hot iron. All of the nerves of sensation in the upper part of the left side of the face were removed and there is now practically no sensation in that part of the man's face.

Mr. Estes is now at his home and is doing well, and it is believed this operation will put an end to the trouble with which he has been so long and severely afflicted

THE STANLEY'S WON.

North Adams Makes Its First Bow to Pittsfield Ball Players.

The Pittsfield team defeated the North Adams team Friday at Pittsfield in a score of 4 to 3. This was the first defeat the local team suffered at the hands of the Pittsfield men and was hard luck. The game was a clean and interesting one.

The hitting of both teams was light, Cain getting three of the Stanley's six hits. Scharf and O'Brien covered a great deal of ground and Lombard made a fine catch of a foul.

Sniffen, the North Adams pitcher, is something of a discovery. He is employed in this city and is an excellent twirler. He has pitched in the Connecticut league. The score:

Pittsfield.	r	b	po	a	e
Coyne, 2b,	1	0	4	1	1
Lombard, c,	1	1	5	2	0
Cain, rf,	1	3	0	0	0
Garvey, ss,	1	1	1	4	1
Danis, cf,	0	0	2	1	3
Kenney, lf,	0	1	1	1	0
Conners, 1b,	0	0	11	2	0
Cassidy, 3b,	0	0	1	3	1
Walsh, p,	0	0	2	3	0
Total,	4	6	27	17	6
North Adams.	r	b	po	a	e
Scharf, 2b,	0	0	2	7	0
Drew, cf,	0	1	0	1	0
Maidy, l,	1	1	3	0	0
O'Brien, s,	1	1	4	8	2
Sullivan, 3b,	0	2	4	1	1
Mackey, 1b,	0	0	10	1	1
Drysdale, rf,	0	0	1	1	0
Sniffen, p,	0	0	0	1	1
Summers, c,	1	0	3	0	0
Total,	3	5	27	20	5

Innings,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Stanley,	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—4
North Adams,	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—3

Earned runs, Stanleys 1, North Adams 2; stolen bases, Danis 2; two-base hits, O'Brien; three-base hit, Garvey; home run, Cain; first on balls, Garvey, Danis, Conners; Scharf 3, Drew, Mackey; struck out, Cassidy, Drew, Sullivan 2, Mackey, Drysdale, Sniffen; batter hit, Cassidy; double plays, Scharf, O'Brien and Mackey; passed balls, Lombard, Summers; wild pitch, Walsh; time, 2.10; umpire, John Downs.

VERY SUCCESSFUL.

The Historical Society's Entertainment Greatly Enjoyed.

The entertainment given by the members of the Fort Massachusetts Historical society and Daughters of the American Revolution Friday afternoon and evening was successful in all particulars. There were many in attendance, and all had a good time. The weather was intensely warm, but the Houghton memorial building was comfortably filled for the quilting party in the afternoon, while the many that came to the supper and dance in the evening found no adequate accommodation for their numbers within the building. The supper tables were crowded from 5 to 7 o'clock and many came who were not able to find seats at the tables. After the supper an informal good time was had about the new library premises, all enjoying the Clapp band concert.

At 9.30 o'clock dancing began. The minuet was very prettily and gracefully danced by a dozen young ladies attired in the costume of many years ago and with hair whitened, but not by years. This event of the evening was much enjoyed by all present. Afterward general dancing was indulged in until midnight and later.

The officers of the societies report that the financial result of the entertainment is very gratifying. The exact amount made will not be known for several days. The ladies who have worked so untiringly for this success are to be congratulated. All who took part did some laborious work in very trying weather, and the success of the event is more a credit.

WANT ADS in The Daily Transcript pay best.

BY TELEGRAPH

THE SITUATION CRITICAL

The Striking Miners and Closed Mines Cause Prospects of a Coal Famine.

Baltimore, July 10.—The Baltimore & Ohio officials report this morning that all the mines in the gas coal region between Pittsburg and Connellsville and all the mines on the Wheeling division between Pittsburg and Elm Grove are closed.

It is understood that at a meeting held last night, the heads of the different labor organizations decided to appoint committees to go into the West Virginia coal fields and get the miners out there. Strong efforts are being made to have the men at the large de Armith mines strike, and if this succeeds it will probably close every mine in that territory.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 10.—The event of the morning was a frantic effort of little dealers to secure coal from big dealers to supply retail consumers. In every instance dealers refused to deliver coal and the effects of the strike are beginning to be felt in homes. The demand is becoming greater every hour and the supply is constantly becoming less. The feeling of alarm is beginning to spread among men who yesterday viewed the situation with disdain.

The mine operators are beginning to consider the strength of the strike, and today there is consternation among coal dealers, marine men, manufacturers and workingmen in general.

The railroads are continuing to confiscate coal. At breweries and packing houses the situation is regarded with general alarm, as coal must be obtained to prevent incalculable damage to beer and meats. Thousands of workingmen out of employment, factories and mills closed down, street car traffic suspended, this will shortly be the result in Cleveland unless a compromise is effected within a few days.

Shipments by water have been cut off entirely and charters have been cancelled by the wholesale and as more than half coarse freighters have been compelled to go up light, it has increased offerings of tonnage for down cargoes and has weakened the freight market all around.

Mrs. Langtry Will Again Marry.

London, July 10.—It is reported from a reliable source that Mrs. Langtry will shortly marry Prince Esterhazy De Galantha. The prince is 60, has been twice married, is a great sportsman and purchaser of horses for the Austrian government. He has been for some time an ardent lover of the fair Lily.

PLEDGE OF SECRECY.

Tariff Conferees Guard Their Proceedings With Unusual Vigilance.

THERE WILL BE BUT ONE REPORT.

Neither House Will Act Until Final Agreement.

Washington, July 10.—The tariff conferees put in a very hard day's work yesterday. They met at 9:30, recessed at 1 for lunch, and again at 6 for dinner, and at 8 o'clock resumed their sitting, and continued in session until late last night. They have all taken a particularly binding pledge of secrecy and are guarding their labors with unusual vigilance. Beyond the general statement that they were making satisfactory progress, the conferees would say nothing. If the action of the conferees on the various items should be divulged they realize that it would involve them in no end of complications, as all those who are dissatisfied with the rates agreed upon would be down here en masse protesting and insisting that the controverted questions should be reopened. As it is the conferees are being deluged with telegrams and letters and fairly hounded at their hotels by those who are interested in securing either the senate or the house rates.

About the most important thing thus far agreed upon is that there will be but one conference report. Not until a final agreement is reached will either of the two houses be called upon to act. This course has been decided upon as the best means of expiditing final action as it would be much easier to convince those who might be dissatisfied with the rate fixed on a particular item to abandon their opposition if by so doing the struggle would end and the bill become a law. Partial reports on the other hand would give each house an opportunity to instruct on particular items and necessarily entail delay.

The conferees will leave the main points in dispute until those of minor character are out of the way. About 600 of the 800 amendments are comparatively unchanged and are being disposed of without difficulty. One of the conferees is responsible for the statement that in their deliberations the conferees have as yet encountered nothing over which there has ben any great clash. The statement that an attempt would be made by the senate conferees to compel the house to accept the bill as it passed the senate, which was widely circulated, is emphatically denied on the authority of one of the house conferees.

GLORIOUS WEATHER.

Endeavorers Crowd the San Francisco Churches—The Day's Topics.

San Francisco, July 10.—Glorious weather prevailed again yesterday and the Christian Endeavorers crowded the various churches where meetings were to be held. The topic of all of them was "The Christian Endeavor Pledge," and the leaders were Rev. C. H. Phillips, Jamestown, N. Y.; Rev. C. W. Finch, Cookshire, Que.; Rev. J. H. Barton, Caldwell, Ida.; Miss Taylor Wilkinson Temple, Tex.; John R. Garner, Rushville, Ark.; Judge W. S. Dewey, Cairo, Ills.; Rev. D. W. Fahns, Independence, Ia.; A. G. Leffingwell, Appleton, Wis., and Rev. O. C. Sargent, Claremont, N. H.

The daily hour for Bible study was conducted at the Central M. E. church by Professor Herbert L. Willet of Chicago, the topic being "Micah—A Message of Warning and Hope."

At the First United Presbyterian church, the first daily "chalk talk" on the subject of "Truth at a Glance" was conducted by Rev. Robert T. Pierce of Philadelphia.

The regular sessions of the convention were resumed simultaneously at the big pavilions at 9:30 o'clock. At Woodward's pavilion, President Clark presided and R. Powell Evans of San Francisco was musical director. After singing and devotional exercises, conducted by Rev. James Mc Lean of Great Village, N. S., an address on the senior society of the Christian Endeavor was delivered by Barton Perry of San Leandro, Cal.

The next address was on "Christian Endeavorers and the Sunday Evening Service," by Rev. Jacob W. Knapp of Richmond, Ind. This was followed by the open parliament under the charge of W. B. Philpot of Philadelphia.

MAY BE MADE TEST CASE.

Boston, July 10.—The United States steamboat inspectors of this port have made their report to the collector of the port on the case of the Dominion line steamship Canada, which sailed last Saturday with a greater number of passengers on board than the laws of the United States allow her to carry. A duplicate report has been sent to the department at Washington. It is possible that the case of the Canada may be made a test case. The fine for such a violation of the law is only $500, and is not regarded as sufficient penalty to act as a deterrent in the overloading of vessels.

BOSTON WHIST TEAM LEADS.

Put-in Bay, O., July 10.—The preliminary contests for the Hamilton and American Whist league trophies closed last night and the finals will be played off this afternoon and evening between the two highest teams in each event. In the A. W. L. trophy contest the Americans, of Boston, are in the lead by three tricks over Toledo, who is second, and four tricks ahead of Albany, who is third. The rest of the 12 clubs are out of the race. The congress will adjourn tonight after the big contest is decided.

GILLETTE'S HEALTH BROKEN.

London, July 10.—William Gillette, the American playwright and actor, has been dangerously sick for more than a week and is confined to his bed most of the time. He will be compelled to retire from the stage for the present and to relinquish playwriting indefinitely. As soon as he is able to be moved he will return to the United States. His health is very much broken.

YESTERDAY'S BALL GAMES.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Chicago—

The Bostons were again defeated yesterday in a close, but loosely played game. Lewis was batted hard while but little could be done with Friend. Both captains were fined and sent to the bench in the seventh inning on account of a heated argument with Lynch.

Boston.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Hamilton, c. f.	3	2	0	2	0	0
Tenney, 1 b.	4	3	2	3	0	0
Long, s. s.	4	1	1	4	2	0
Duffy, l. f.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Stahl, r. f.	5	0	1	5	0	0
Collins, 3 b.	4	0	0	2	1	1
Lowe, 2 b.	4	0	0	3	0	1
Lake, c.	4	0	1	2	1	0
Lewis, p.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Stivetts, l. f.	1	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	36	7	7	24	4	3

Chicago.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Everitt, 3 b.	4	1	1	2	3	1
McCormick, s. s.	5	2	2	1	5	1
Lange, c. f.	5	1	2	4	0	0
Anson, 1 b.	2	1	1	9	1	0
Ryan, r. f.	5	1	1	2	0	0
Decker, l. f., 1 b.	5	1	3	5	0	1
Callahan, 2 b.	4	0	0	1	2	0
Friend, p.	3	1	2	0	2	0
Kittredge, c.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Thorneton, l. f.	1	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	37	8	13	27	13	3

Boston .....2 0 0 0 0 4 0 1—7
Chicago .....0 2 2 0 1 1 1 1—8

Earned runs—Chicago, 4; Boston, 1. Left on bases—Chicago, 9; Boston, 7. Two-base hit—Stahl. Three-base hits—Everitt, Lange, Ryan. Home run—Tenney. Stolen bases—McCormick, Lane, Ryan, Stahl. Double play—Anson and Everitt. Struck out—By Lewis, 1; by Friend, 1. Bases on balls—Off Friend, 3; off Lewis, 5. Hit with ball—Hamilton, Tenney.

At Louisville—

Baltimore .....3 0 1 1 1 2 0 1 —8
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It seems to have become by force of habit the custom of American cities to largely suspend operations in a business way during the heated term. The reason for this in purely agricultural towns, dependent upon farmers for their trade and traffic, is apparent. This particular season is between haying and harvest, when the farmer is busy with his crops.

In a manufacturing town, North Adams particularly, there is no good and sufficient reason for this suspension of activities through July and August. Especially fortunate as it is in its great diversity of interests and its favorable climatic conditions, North Adams should be during the "heated term" the same busy, enterprising and hustling city it is during the other ten months of the year. Indeed, if anything, North Adams should be a busier, livelier place during midsummer than at any other season. Added to its year-round industries is the transient trade that comes, or should come, from the summer visitors to the Berkshires.

To the casual observer it appears that this dull summer condition is forced and unnatural. The remark constantly dinned into the ears of the new-comer to North Adams is to the effect that this city suspends animation during the summer, that it is for the nonce dead. If it is dead, under all the circumstances so favorable for keeping its business circulation active and healthy, it is a case of suicide. The constant decrying of business activity during the e months leads to the actual condition. North Adams' manufacturing plants continue to do business full time during the summer months, their operatives and employes continue to draw their usual salaries, the oppressively hot days are few and far between. Then why any cessation of business activities?

The remedy for this midsummer mercantile paresis, real or fancied, is easy. Apply the mind cure. Get out of the habit of thinking business will drop off during these two months, and it will not drop off. Cease talking a dead midsummer North Adams, because there is no such thing, and can be none while the machines in our shops continue to hum and the wheels to turn. Apply yourselves, business men, with renewed energy to the summer trade. Be content with nothing short of a twelve-months-in-the-year business. Talk up, and don't talk down, North Adams all the year 'round.

Taxing both Bibles and playing cards causes some church members to catch it on both sides of their religion.

A resolution to recognize the gold Democrats is in the minds of Iowa, Kentucky and Ohio Republicans.

The scholar in politics has given Wall street a surprise. Senator Lodge is the author of the proposed tax on stock dealings.

The leaders of the coal miners are confident that the strike will be a success, but beneath the surface there are signs that digging is still going on.

It develops that the peace terms between Turkey and Greece are all but accepted, Turkey alone holding back. Such an inconsequential thing as that doesn't matter.

While entertaining the Pan-American delegation Chicago started a boom for a great pan-American exposition. Chicago always manages to get its money back *some way or other.*

If Senator Wellington is so anxious to have his authority in the matter of appointments respected, he should take pains to have the territory he would like to control carefully Platted.

Wealthy applicants for consulships will save the state department much trouble if they will indicate the kind of climate, natural scenery and society, whether a coast or interior town, preferred.

Only one calamity howler attended the late jubilee festivities in London. He was treated to a bath in a park fountain to make him a godlier and more cheerful person. Here's a good suggestion for the proper treatment for croaking.

Main street is to be paved, and no greater material blessing could come to this city. Our main street has been an inconvenience to travel and a matter of criticism for every resident and every visitor of the city full long enough. It will cost about $21,000 to do the paving from the Main street bridge to Eagle street.

What the people of North Adams want in the baseball line is—baseball. If the former management has any right in the grounds let that fact be found out and settlement made. If not the management named by several young business men deserves heartiest support and will get it. Give the people of this city good clean baseball under honest management and baseball will be supported. Let the baseball differences be settled speedily and at once. Play ball.

One member got sat upon in the city council Friday evening. His attempt to call before the council the mayor and executive officers to ask them questions, failed. A majority of the council feel enough confidence in the executive officers of the city to meet them to do what is their duty and business to do and do rightly, without submitting them to questioning and discussion that has never amounted to anything when it has been done. At the same time, the executive officers are always willing to appear before the council when a majority of its members so desire and when it will result in any good or in giving any necessary information. But to ask a lot of simple questions of the mayor and executive officers at every council meeting, the answers to which might as well be one thing or another so far as the questioner's judgment is concerned, is all nonsense. Call in the executive officers when necessary or when they are dishonest or extravagant or foolish. But when they are honest and know their business their word and judgment coming through the mayor's communications should be accepted as right and true.

The Evening Journal rushes forward to criticise the statement made in the Eagle, that we did not believe it was wise for persons of the same nationality to band together for the sole purpose of obtaining office, as a North Adams correspondent of an out of town paper alleges that the French people of the county were doing. This is not saying that these people expect to organize for the purpose stated. The chances are our French citizens have too much sense to go into anything of the sort. A plan of organization for the purpose of social and mental improvement, and also to induce persons of French extraction to become naturalized American citizens, is a good one and will help to make its members better citizens. Our contemporary should bear in mind that as a fitting representative of the Chicago free silver platform, that said platform, especially frowns upon organizations that exist for the purpose of getting its members into office and we had every reason to believe the statement made in the Eagle would meet with the approbation of the Journal. It looks as if our contemporary was seeking to attain a little cheap notoriety and was willing to misrepresent matters in order to do it. Fight fair gentlemen.—Pittsfield Eagle.

There are others in the north part of the county looking for the same cheap results.

BLACKINTON.

Miss Ada Roberts of Troy, N. Y., is the guest of John Owens and family.

John W. Davis and son Lester returned Friday evening from a two weeks visit with friends *in Rhode Island.*

Abel Jones and Miss Maggie Morgan left this morning for Boston from where they will sail on the steamer Gallia for Newtown, Wales.

An old country tea party was held this afternoon at the residence of John Tibbitts, Williamstown road. It was largely attended and very much enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beresford and William Beresford of Carolina, R. I., are guests of John W. Davis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Eadie returned this evening from a two weeks vacation spent at Plymouth.

Marion, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McMillan, entertained several of her young friends this afternoon, in honor of her fifth birthday.

The funeral of Mrs. Hariet Stewart was held this morning at 10 o'clock from the home of her daughter, and was very largely attended.

The selection of William P. Meade as manager of the new North Adams ball nine is a good one, and all lovers of the sport here think he will raise the game in North Adams to a very high standard.

Notice.

The Ladies' Sewing society of the Congregational church will meet at Mrs. C. H. Cutting's residence at 7.30 o'clock this evening, to discuss important business matters. Per order

EFFIE A. CUTTING.

Mrs. Henry W. Shaw, widow of Henry W. Shaw, better known by his nom de plume of "Josh Billings," has arrived in Pittsfield from New York, and will spend the summer at the Maplewood hotel.

THEY SAY!

And Thousands Echo Their Sentiments.

Who?
The people.
What the people say is true.
You can bet your life on that.
Who are the people?
We are the people.
But we are not all of them.
O, no!
Not by any means.
There are others.
There are thousands of them.
There are millions!
Lots of them are in North Adams.
And they say—
What?
That California Catarrh Cure cures catarrh; that it stops hawking and spitting and the dropping into the throat, that it cures the stuffed up feeling and all the other irritating symptoms.

Here is what one of them says, only one, but remember, there are others:

Frank Gaudette, 25 South street, a painter and paper hanger, familiar to North Adams people, says: "The way that California Catarrh Cure has relieved my headaches and stopped the dropping into my throat is wonderful; being troubled with catarrh I went to Burlingame & Darby's drug store and got a bottle, and from its use can truly testify to its great merits."

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To avoid Hay Fever in its season, used now, it will prevent the malady in its season. Get California Catarrh Cure; nothing else is as good, no matter who says so; for nothing else cures so quickly. All dealers; 50 cents, three times as much for $1.

TRAVELLER'S GUIDE.

Fitchburg Railroad.

Corrected May 31, 1897.

Trains leave North Adams going East—a1.37, 15.18, 7.23, 9.53, 11.42, a. m., 1.10, 4.31, c2.00 p. m.

Going West—6.35, 7.45, 10.08, a. m., 12.20, 1.24, 5.09, 18.05, 11.46, c2.39, c7.40 p. m.

Train Arrive From East—10.08, a. m, 12.10, 1 24, 5.09, 18.05, 11.46, c2.39 p. m.

From West—a1.37, 15.18 7.23, 9.53, 11.42, a. m., 1.10, 4.31, 5.55, 7.00 p. m., c11.10 a. m., c2.00 p. m.

a Run Daily, except Monday.
1 Run Daily, Sunday included.
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Boston & Albany Railroad.

Trains leave North Adams, daily except Sunday, for Pittsfield and intermediate stations at 6.29, 9.35 a.m., 12.15, 3.00, 6.05 p.m.

Connecting at Pittsfield with Westfield, Springfield, Worcester, and Boston, also for New York, Albany, and the West.

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G. H PATRICK, Ticket Agent, North Adams, Mass

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New York Central R. R.

HARLEM DIVISION.

Leave North Adams via B. & A., R. R. for New York city 6.20 a. m.; arrive N. Y. city 11.53 a. m.; leave North Adams 9.35 a. m.; arrive N. Y. city 4.38 p. m.; leave North Adams 3.00 p. m.; arrive N. Y. city 8.42 p. m. Sunday train leaves North Adams 1.55 p. m. arrive N. Y. City 8.30 p. m.

East Pittsfield and North Adams special trains leave N. Y. city at 9.06 a. m. and 3.35 p. m. daily except Sundays, arriving in North Adams at 2.35 p. m. and 8.55 p. m. Sunday train leaves N. Y. city at 9.15 a. m. arrives North Adams 4.20. F. J. WOLFE, General Agent, Albany, N. Y.

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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

—A daughter was born July 9 to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis J. Hewitt.

—The choir of the Methodist church will serve an ice cream and cake supper Friday evening.

—A meeting of those interested in Monday's relay bicycle race will be held at the Y. M. C. A. this evening.

—Wells Dibble, who took the Harvard preliminary examinations in New York city last week, has received notification of full admission to the freshman class.

—The Bricklayers' and Plasterers union, No. 18, will hold a special meeting Monday evening next, at 8 o'clock for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing term of six months. All members are requested to be present.

—Arthur Brown has completed a commodious two-tenement house at 46 Prospect street and he moved into one of the flats today. The house is roomy and pleasant and contains all the modern improvements. The old house will be torn down.

—It is probable that the Berkshire county chapter of the Sons of the Revolution will hold a field day in the fall to celebrate the battle of Bennington. The chapter has recently issued a neat little folder giving the names of all who are eligible to membership and containing information of general interest.

—St. John's annual picnic and excursion will be made to Cole's grove on Saturday, July 17, leaving by electric cars at 10 a. m. Children belonging to the school will be taken free and given a common table. Others of the parish can obtain reduced rates at the parish house on the morning of the excursion.

Town Talk.

Go to Conlon's cigar store for cigars and tobacco. "*Monogram*" best dime cigar. "Keno" and "Idlewild Jr." nickel cigars. 32 Main street.

Idlewild Jr., Conlon's fine 5c cigar. Ask your dealers for it and insist on having it.

The approaching ...Summer

will find a vast number of people ailing from *lassitude, general debility, weak digestion,* and sleeplessness. Do not resort to whiskey, or harsh stimulants, but put your faith on a good tonic like

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Church Notices.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Sunday services, 7.30 a. m., holy communion; 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon.

7.30 p. m., evening prayer. The Rev. S. M. Griswold, successor to the Rev. J. C. Tebbetts at Hudson, N. Y., will exchange with him for a day.

ADVENT CHURCH.

The meetings will be held in the tent at 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Subject in the morning, "Can ye not discern the signs of these times."

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Word was received from Rev. Mr. Murray of Troy, N. Y., stating that he cannot be present here Sunday and so no morning service will be held.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Rev. A. B. Penniman of Adams will preach at the morning service. The regular union service will be held in the evening and either the pastor or Dr. Bascom of Williams college will speak.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Mr. Spencer will conduct both services Sunday.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Rev. F. O. Winans will preach in the morning. In the evening the union service will be held at the Congregational church.

Y. M. C. A. SERVICES.

B. F. Lovejoy will conduct the men's service in the afternoon at 4 o'clock.

THE MEET POSTPONED.

Coming Big Event To Be Held After the Springfield Races.

The race meet, to have been held by the Association Pilgrims on the fair grounds July 17, has been postponed until after the annual races at Springfield in September. Then all the fastest riders in the country will be able to attend here and the city will see the grandest bicycle tournament ever given in Western Massachusetts. This will give the club a chance to get ready and they intend to give the best of prizes. The track will be prepared and people from all parts will doubtless attend. A special feature will be Harry L. Roncoe of Cheshire, the boy trick bicyclist. He is now under contract with Spalding Bros., who have furnished him with a wheel and other equipments. He met with great favor here two years ago and he is now even better than before.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

A. M. Sheldon and family of Summer street left today for Jacksonville, Vt., where they will occupy their summer cottage till September 1.

C. P. Preston of Lee, N. Y., and John Sillenbeck of Rome, N. Y., are guests of E. E. Byam.

Mrs. M. E. Haskell and Miss Munn of Bogota, N. J., who have been guests at the Johnson residence in this city, have returned to their home.

E. A. Stroud and family have returned from a fortnight's visit to Heron Island. Mr. Stroud's health is materially improved by the outing and rest.

DIED

In this city, July 8, Laura, wife of David Cary aged 75 years.

In this city, July 8, Eveline, wife of Joseph Verrier, aged 52 years.

At Blackinton, July 8, Mrs. Harriet Stewart, aged 94 years.

BORN.

At Williamstown, July 3, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Atwood.

At Williamstown, July 2, a son to Mr. and Mrs Arthur Valencourt.

At Williamstown, July 9, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dumfrey.

In this city, July 9, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis J. Hewitt.

MARRIED.

At West Cummington, July 2, by Harry E. Bicknell, Esq., William A. Hathaway and Clara B. Jones.

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Leaves Boston Monday, July 12, visiting *Washington, Battlefields of Chickamauga,* Missionary Ridge, Lookout Mountain, Asheville and Old Point Comfort. Rate $41.50, includes transportation, stateroom, Pullman Palace car, carriage drives over the battlefield and side trip to Nashville. Party under leadership of W. W. Main, 701 Tremont Temple, Boston. For complete itinerary, address A. J. Simmons, N. E. A., 211 Washington St., Boston.

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If you have been deceived and tried one of the cheap bran substitutes now on the market, claiming to be the original and to have great food value, and you got a pound of poorly roasted bran for your 25c, and a poor, weak, sickish drink (what can you expect from bran), don't be discouraged but try GRAIN-O. It is made from solid grain, nicely browned and 2 pounds for 25c. Grain-O takes the place of coffee at ¼ the price. Get a package o your grocer today.

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NOTICE.

The Commissioner of Public Works will hold regular meetings at the City Hall on Monday and Friday afternoons at 3 o'clock.

JAS. E. HUNTER,
Com. of Public Works.

LOST

A grey and white India silk parasol, lavender silk lining, wood handle. Finder will please call at 12 Bank st. 1 J0

An envelope containing a sum of money has been lost somewhere between Mission park and the residence of George Alderman, Williamstown. Finder will please leave with George Alderman, Williamstown. 1 40 tf

A ladies' black alpaca coat. Reward will be paid for return of same to 19 Pleasant st. 140 2t

A pearl and jet earring pendant at Houghton Mem. Bld., July 9. Reward if returned to 82 Eagle st., or to this office.

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A young lady would like a position as bookkeeper or good place in store. Please call at 146 E. Main st. w 40 6tx

A Swedish girl wants a situation to do general housework. 145 East Main st. s 45 6t

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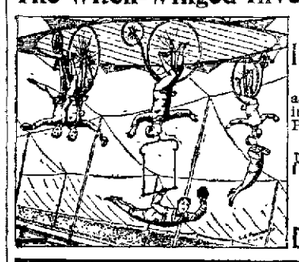
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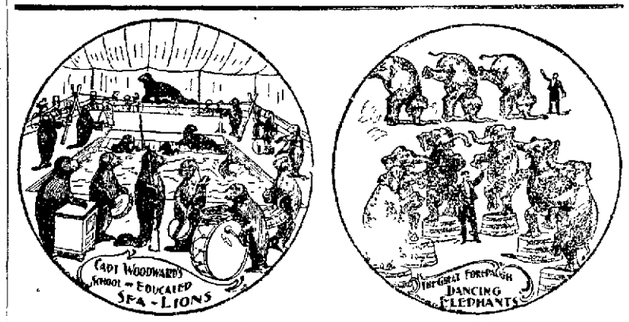
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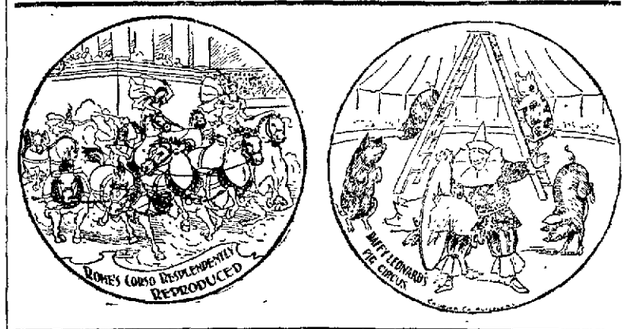
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CHURCH NOTICES.

Universalist.

The pulpit Sunday morning will be occupied by Rev. J. B. Reardon, in the absence of the pastor, who is in Warren for a vacation.

Methodist.

The pastor's morning subject will be "Salvation Through Christ by the Exercise of Faith in Him." In the evening, instead of the regular preaching, the Junior Epworth league will give a concert and exercise in Bible study. The regular meeting of the Epworth league will be led by Miss Flora Loomis. The topic will be "St. Paul's Relations to Industry." Wednesday evening the ladies will serve an ice cream and cake supper.

Baptist.

The pulpit Sunday morning will be filled by Rev. Mr. Osborn of Columbia college, Benedict, South Carolina. The regular meeting of the Young People's union will be led by Miss Florence Brown. The subject will be "A Wise Choice." Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock the Missionary union will discuss "Early Missions in Siam."

St. Mark's Episcopal.

Rev. Henry C. Swentzel, D. D., rector of St. Luke's church, Brooklyn, will spend part of his vacation as the guest of the rector of St. Mark's and may be expected to preach the sermon on the eighth Sunday after Trinity, August 8. Dr. Swentzel is a life-long friend of the rector of this parish, they having been college and seminary class-mates. They were also confirmed and ordained to the deaconate and priesthood together. Dr. Swentzel's parish in Brooklyn is the largest in the city, numbering over 1200 communicants. There will be no issue of the church paper in August. The Sunday evening service has also been suspended during July and August.

Congregational.

Rev. Miles B. Fisher, the new associate pastor, will preach in the morning. The pastor will occupy the Congregational church pulpit in North Adams. In the evening at 7 o'clock Rev. Mr. Fisher will conduct services at the Zylonite chapel.

Child's Narrow Escape.

An accident happened at Renfrew Friday morning which may prove fatal. A little three-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fevreault who live in the Caledonian block on Friend street was left sitting in a baby carriage on a piazza about 15 feet high. A boy about four years old was playing around the carriage when it started and rolled down a flight of stairs to the ground. The infant was thrown out and sustained a scalp wound. Dr. Desrocheres was summoned and found the infant suffering from concussion of the brain. The child's recovery is doubtful.

Given a Reception.

Odd Fellow' hall was the scene of merriment and enjoyment Friday evening. The occasion was a surprise to Miss Janet McLaughlin of Renfrew, who will sail for Scotland next week. She is a member of the L. B. C., composed of 10 young ladies, and they planned a farewell reception for her. Miss Maggie Dow, in behalf of those present, gave her a handsome gold ring. Dancing was enjoyed with music by Milde's orchestra and refreshments were served. All were pleasantly entertained.

Show Your Generosity.

Quite a number have spoken to Prof. Palmer and asked why he does not give open air orchestral concerts as he did three years ago and as a result he has placed subscription papers in F. E. Mole's and Thompson's drug stores. The money is to pay for the out-of-town players who belong to the orchestra. If the public think enough of the concert to pay for the hiring of these men we will be favored with concerts at once.

Snowballing in July.

A letter was received from Miss Phoebe Burlingame who is attending the International Christian Endeavor convention at San Francisco. In it she states that on July 2, when the excursion was passing the Rocky mountain divide, the men got out and snowballed each other.

List of Advertised Letters.

The list of letters advertised at the local postoffice this week is as follows: Michael Finnegan, Mrs. P. Jenks, Mrs. B. Holmes, Jule Cochon, H. K. Chaffee, Leineda Beaupri, John Horn of Zylonite, Domenico Andoni Geonium, W.H. Miller, Mrs. H. Wilkins, Gus Williams, W. McVey, and Sophie Leveille.

Henry Copeland has taken a position in the telephone exchange office.

Mrs. G. Mason of Zylonite is the guest of relatives at Cheshire Harbor.

Mrs. Philip Powers and son Williiam R., of Murray street, are visiting Pittsfield relatives.

Mrs. M. M. Hoag and Mrs. T. H. Barlow who have been visiting friends here are now visiting in Dalton.

Twenty families from this town enjoyed a picnic at Hoosac Valley park Friday afternoon. About 75 persons attended.

Do not forget the 10-cent supper at St. Charles church this evening.

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The relay race between North Adams and Pittsfield wheelmen will pass through here Monday morning.

Miss Mary Kerrigan of Turners Falls is the guest of the Misses Callahan at Renfrew.

Miss Agnes O'Brien who has been visiting Renfrew friends has returned to her home in Hoosick Falls, N. Y.

Miss Neva Nash is the guest of North Adams friends.

Miss Helen Knapp of Edmunds street has returned to her home in West Cummington.

Scott Jenks of Cummington visited here Friday.

Rev. C. S. Sargent of St. Louis, Mo., former pastor of the Congregational church, left today for Worcester after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Plunkett.

Miss Maud Tilton of Dalton is visiting local friends.

Rev. and Mrs. O. I. Darling are spending a vacation in Warren.

Landlord Cooley of the Cooley House in Springfield was the guest of Landlord Morse of the Greylock House, Friday.

The horse owned by Smith Gage, which was injured in a runaway on Summer street Friday morning, died that evening.

This evening the G. A. R. will hold a special meeting for the admittance of several new associate members. A full attendance is desired.

William Knopp will lead this evening's meeting of the pastor's class at Trinity Methodist church.

Harry Barnes who is a student of Vermont University at Burlington, Vt., has returned to his home in Zylonite.

Wanted.

A boot black, inquire at James T. Baker's shoe store, Centre street.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

The Motor Overhauled—To Start a Skunkery---A Peculiar Accident---Beautiful Drawings.

Beautiful Drawings.

Miss Mabel Laliberte, who graduated in June from St. Anne convent in Lachine, Canada, has some very beautiful crayon drawings which she made while in the school. Two of them are handsomely framed, one being "The Castle of Chillon," and the other is a picture of a decanter and glasses on a tray on a table. The latter was drawn with the articles for a copy and is exceedingly true to the original, even the figure of the table cloth being clearly delineated. Besides these two pictures Miss Laliberte has many others which are not framed, but which show her to be possessed of artistic skill of no mean order. Several of her drawings will be sent to Paris by the management of the school for exhibition at the great exposition in 1900. Miss Laliberte has not yet decided what she will do, but it is probable that she will engage in teaching, as she has already received several flattering offers.

Interesting Grange Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the grange was held Wednesday evening Owing to the heat the attendance was small. The program was in charge of Ceres, but owing to the sudden rise in corn she was unable to be present. The subject under discussion was "How the farmer can best take a position which will make him a power in the government and have more control in the making of laws which immediately affect agriculture." This was an impromptu subject, but was ably handled by S. A. Hickox, A. L. Stevens and others. One new member was admitted. The next meeting occurs August 4, when degrees will be conferred and the following topics will be discussed: "Grange Ideal," L. S. Gardner; "How can life on the farm be made more enjoyable and attractive," Hon. S. A. Hickox; "Reading," Mrs. S. A Hickox.

The Motor Overhauled.

The Congregational church organ motor has been overhauled and put in perfect order by George Ross of Troy, N. Y., the inventor of the motor Mr. Ross is a brother of Robert Ross, who was shot and killed on election day in Troy, a year or two ago. The motor is one of the best in use and many are shipped to Europe. The cleaning of the organ has been finished by Mr. Beach and his son of Gloversville, N. Y., and the instrument and the motor are all ready for use Sunday.

A Peculiar Accident.

Ora, the 14-years-old daughter of Mr. Guilbo, met with a peculiar and very painful accident Frrday. She started to take a pair of shears from a high shelf and dropped them, and one of the points passed through her slipper and toe and into the floor. The toe was badly wounded, the bone being injured. The wound was dressed by a physician, and the girl is doing well, but it will take some time to fully recover.

To Start a Skunkery.

John Wheeler of the White Oaks has taken the young skunks recently caught by Thomas Fowler and his son and intends to keep them and establish a skunkery. There were five of the animals, but one has died. The others are doing well. Skunkeries have been made to pay well in other places, and Mr. Wheeler believes there is room here for an enterprise of this kind. The experiment will be watched with interest—at a distance.

Mrs. A. R. Smith was in North Adams Friday to assist in the entertainment and supper given by the Fort Massachusetts Historical society and the Daughters of the American Revolution, she being a member of the latter organization.

A. S. Laliberte received today from W. S. Underwood of North Adams an elegant $450 Estey piano for his daughter Mabel.

A good sized party from this town attended the dog and pony show in North Adams Thursday night.

Miss Carrie Robbins of Lansingburgh, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. H Taylor.

New steps have been placed in front o Fowler's store on East Main street.

Rev. R. A. Robinson of Norfolk, Va., who is to supply the Congregationa church pulpit for one month, arrived in town today.

Miss Anna Lanoue of the North Adams hospital training school has been the guest of Miss Mabel Laliberte for a few days. She will return to North Adams Sunday night.

A. E. Hall has put a handsome new delivery wagon on the road.

Mrs. Clark of Fort Edward, N. Y., is visiting at A. E. Hall's. Mr. Clark was formerly pastor of the Methodist church and was instrumental in the building of Clark chapel.

Mrs. Julia Whelan has gone to Auburn, N. Y., to spend the summer.

Victor Noel is on the sick list.

Miss Frances Piper is playing the organ in St. Patrick's church, Mr. Murray, the former organist, having graduated from college and left town.

Eight beautiful candelabra and a number of very handsome vases have been placed in St. Patrick's church. The vases were presented by the Young Ladies' sodality.

A. E. Evens has bought a new bicycle.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dunfrey are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter which occurred Friday.

The 18-months-old son of Mrs. Samuel Humes of Jersey Shore, Pa., who has been visiting at Marshall Prindle's for some time, is dangerously ill with a throat trouble. Dr. Hull, who is attending, called Dr. M. M. Brown of North Adams for consultation Friday.

Lightning struck a tree near F. C. Markham's barn the other day.

Melvin Eggleston and family arrived from New York Friday for the summer.

Joseph St. John who has been employed in Bastien's barber shop, has gone to North Adams to work.

George Walker marketed 1,588 quarts of strawberries last Tuesday. Owing to the intense heat the whole field could not be picked.

ITALY WANTS OUR BIKES.

Consul Johnson's Report on Cycling In King Humbert's Dominion.

H. A. Johnson, United States consul at Venice, sends an interesting report to the department of state at Washington on the conditions of bicycling in Italy and the prospects of increasing the American trade in that country. He says that in his district alone there are 10,000 bicycles in use. In the entire kingdom of Italy there are ten bicycle factories, the two most noted and most patronized being Prinetti & Stucchi and Orio & Marchand, both houses established at Milan.

Italian factories turn out very fair work, but they are lacking in several important elements—first, the material used in construction; second, lack of necessary capital; third, the want of confidence on the part of the buyer. The material used comes in the main from abroad, and, the bicycle being an object placed in the category of luxuries and used almost exclusively for amusement, the purchasers in the main are more prone to invest in a foreign article than in one produced in their own country, for the same reason that a fashionable woman prefers to have her gowns made in Paris rather than in Italy.

The Italian machine costs from $70 to $100 and is from four to six pounds heavier than the English machine.

"The Italian peninsula is in large part mountainous, and for general use here," says the consul, "it is not a disadvantage to employ a machine slightly heavier and more solidly constructed than those destined to be used in cities and level country. It may be roughly stated that about four-fifths of the bicycles used in Italy are of foreign make, being chiefly English or German, the former excelling in finish and the latter being superior in strength and solidity. The prices of these machines range from $60 to $130, the general opinion among wheelmen, however, being that a good machine cannot be had for less than $90.

"The prospect for opening up a large export trade to this place in American bicycles is, in my opinion, most favorable for the following principal reasons: First, bicycling here is in its first stages, and it is destined to increase enormously; second, almost any novelty placed upon the Italian market, if well and judiciously advertised, stands every chance of being a pronounced success; third, the bicycle being rather an article of luxury than of necessity, the cycling class seems hardly satisfied with the European product and much prefers using machines of American make. The only obstacle at present worthy of notice to the successful introduction of the American bicycle is its high cost.

"As yet, in Italy women have not taken very enthusiastically to bicycling, but their interest is daily increasing, and it seems to be considered quite the proper thing for a woman of a smart set to be an expert bicyclist. With Italian women in general there seems to be a strong, deep seated, traditional prejudice against all forms of athletic sports, but the bicycle has been a most active agent in encouraging them to abandon such prejudice. It may be stated approximately that at present in Italy only 5 per cent of the people using bicycles are women."

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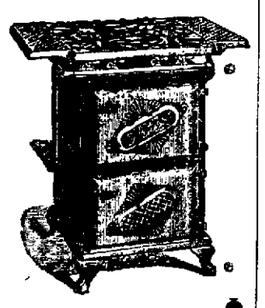
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The meeting of the general committee of the World's Student Christian federation, which was held at The Greylock in Williamstown and reported in Friday's TRANSCRIPT, closed Friday and a number of the members left town. More went today and a few will remain over Sunday.

A memorable feature of the gathering was a meeting held Thursday evening at the Haystack monument in Mission park. Devotional exercises were begun at 7.30 o'clock. The addresses and prayers were especially earnest and every man present was deeply impressed by the fact that he stood at the birthplace of American foreign missions. In the group were represented five continents and 13 countries whose people had not heard of the gospel at the time when the students, seeking shelter from a shower under the haystack in 1806, resolved to send the message of the gospel into heathen lands. That handful of pious young men in discussing the project of spreading the gospel in lands where it was unknown realized that it would be a serious and difficult undertaking, but they said "we can if we will," and the grand results of their determination are now known to all the world.

The members of the committee found it difficult to leave the spot at the close of the formal exercises. They remained for some time discussing the momentous results of that famous first haystack meeting nearly a century ago, singing hymns and rejoicing in the grand results which have come from the small beginning made by a handful of students for the christianization of the world. The company joined hands and formed a circle about the monument, and the following words were shouted with the snap of a college yell: "God wills it; we can if we will make Jesus king." The doxology was sung, the members from different lands singing in their own language, and it is probable this was the first time the hymn was ever thus rendered in Williamstown. The meeting will never by forgotten by any one who was present.

The Club Has Many Guests.

The Forest and Stream club of Wilmington, Vt., opened its club house last week, and the number of members and guests present is larger than ever before at this time. Among those who have registered at the club since its opening are the following, many of whom will remain during the season: President and Mrs. David H. Cochran, Brooklyn., N. Y.; Ethel V. Childs, Lucy Lamb Childs, Molly Starks Childs, Bennington; Arthur L. Sherman, Castleton; Thomas Cochran, Mabel P. Cochran, Miss Kittie Cochran, Dr. and Mrs. Henry L. Cochran, Master Henry Cochran, Brooklyn: Hon. A. P. Childs, Bennington; Mrs. A. L. Waters, Mr. and Mrs. Varrelman, Brooklyn; Messrs. C. A. Fitch and W. J. Stevens, James P. Bates, A. H. Watson, George Seney Stiles, New York; Rev. George B. Makepeace, George H. Sutton, Springfield, Mass., Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Putnam, Bennington; Mrs. L. S. Hooper, Rochester, N. Y.; Miss Eulie Gay Rushmore, Troy, N. Y.; Mrs. Professor Mary R. Davis, Haverill Mass.

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CITY COUNCIL MEETS

Considerable Important Business Pushed Through Against Obstinate Opposition.

MR. ARMSTRONG'S SHARP POINTS

Messrs. Hamer and Perry Very Much in Evidence. The Former Out of Order. Mr. Hamer's Motions and Their Forte.

The city council held an adjourned meeting last night with President Bracewell in the chair and 16 councilmen present. It was a long and interesting meeting, Councilman Hamer being a central figure.

A communication from the mayor informed the council that the estimated cost of paving Marshall street is $11,200 and of paving Main street from Phoenix bridge to State street $9,600. The communication was accepted.

The report of Chief Engineer Byars was received and gave information of eight fires extinguished by the department.

No One Appeared.

Clerk Brooker read the officer's return by J. A. Boughton of service of notice on the parties interested in the acceptance of Cleveland avenue and Folsom and Gallup streets. Councilman Whitaker requested President Bracewell to ask any one who cared to speak for or against the acceptance of the streets to come forward and if none came to call the hearing closed. The president did so, no one appeared and the hearing was declared closed.

Ruled Out of Order.

Councilman Hamer arose and asked if a communication from the mayor that was tabled would be held under the rule to be taken from the table as other business. The president could see no difference in a communication from the mayor and other matters with reference to this disposition.

Mr. Hamer began to speak about calling in city officers and was told he was out of order.

Mr. Hamer wished to know if he could not ask a question. The chairman said no, unless he had reference to the fifth order of business then before the house and on no other subject would he be heard. Mr. Hamer sat down.

A petition from Margaret Hadley, who raised her house on Centre street without knowing she was violating an ordinance, asked that the house be permitted to stand as improved. The petition was referred.

Reports and Orders.

Councilman Flagg reported from the committee on the fire department in favor of the old Braytonville school house being used as a hose house and polling place, and the report was accepted and its provisions adopted.

H. G. Brown was allowed permission to withdraw his petition about a piece of lead pipe in a building on Main street.

Councilman Brown presented an order directing the elections committee to provide a caucus and polling place in each ward and furnishing them for the November and December elections. The order was passed.

The sale of a strip from the Houghton memorial building site to Dr. Matte for the sum of $50 was ordered by the council.

Ice Ordinance Amended.

The ordinance relative to ice was amended so that the board of health shall have power to examine ice and the source of its supply, and to have expert analysis made of suspected ice, placing on file the analysis with the city clerk and ordering condemned ice not to be sold, under penalty. Councilman Rice voted against the amendment.

Quibbling Over Streets.

On the acceptance of Cleveland avenue, Folsom and Gallup streets there was some quibbling. Mr. Armstrong asked if the streets were ready for acceptance and was informed that the committee on streets had so reported. Mr. Hamer wanted knowledge about the condition of the streets, particularly if it would be necessary for the city to spend money on them. Mr. Whitaker thought the report of the committee was sufficient as the committee was composed of as honorable gentlemen as one is likely to meet. He knew of no money needed to be spent on the streets. The streets were accepted.

Out of Order Again.

Councilman Hamer was ruled out of order when he began to speak though he was on his feet before Councilman Perry, who had the good fortune to address the chair while Mr. Hamer didn't. Mr. Perry moved that the order of Mr. Whitaker, relative to the mayor's recommendation to pave Main street, presented at the last meeting and which was tabled, be taken from the table. Mr. Hamer rose to a point of order which was not sustained. Then Mr. Perry spoke for several minutes in explanation of his action at the last meeting, and he said he was not in favor of calling in the executive officers all the time and thought councilmen should inform themselves on the orders they introduce so that they can answer questions. The motion was carried.

Officers Need Not Appear.

At this point the president said that there was no law for asking the executive officers to come before the council. Mr. Hamer received recognition and began to speak about calling in officers when the president said the matter was not before the council. He forgot that the motion to take from the table was passed and insisted that the vote be taken again, and it was.

Mr. Armstrong's Points.

Councilman Armstrong thought that some councilmen had been too sharp in requesting the presence and questioning executive officers. He doubted if any councilman had the knowledge of paving equal to the executive officers, and believed the man who talked as if he had did not know what he was talking about. He believed much valuable time was being wasted in useless questioning and debate and he wondered why this doubting. He would not like to accuse any councilman of seeking notoriety in the council chamber, but he confessed things had occurred that seemed like it. Mr. Armstrong spoke quite pointedly in his deliberate way and moved the previous questions as he sat down, holding the previous question not debatable. The council's rules allows ten minutes on the previous question and Mr. Hamer was allowed to go on.

Wouldn't Entertain It.

Councilman Hamer said this is an important question and some think the executive officers can do all the business well enough. He declared the executive officers had been doing legislative business since the council began and it is time for the council to begin business on its own hook. Mr. Hamer was brought back to the point and then said he objected to railroading and asked if the president would entertain a request to invite the executive offices into the chambers. The president refused emphatically and then there was a muddle about how long the council should wait before taking a vote. The motion went to a vote. Mr. Hamer voted "no" all others voting "yes." Mr. Perry explaining his vote that he voted yes and reserved the right to ask questions again. The main question was then put and was carried, Mr. Hamer voting "no."

Mr. Hamer Again.

Mr. Hamer then made the following motion: "That a committee of five be appointed by the chair to investigate the matter of street paving and what material would be best to use; also to investigate as to width of Marshall street between Main street and Center and if any change should be made; also the width of Main and West Main streets, from State to Brown, and if any of the abbutters have encroached and if changes should be made." Mr. Wills seconded the motion so that the matter could come before the council to settle the question for the public. Mr. Perry moved to amend that the matter go to the committee on streets. Mr. Hamer then explained one of the committee was sick and another in Europe. The amendment was carried.

Another Hamer Motion.

Mr. Hamer then moved as follows after voting "no" on the amendment of Mr. Perry: "That the city solicitor and city engineer be instructed to ascertain what the lawful width of Main and West Main streets are from State street to Brown street and if any of the abutters have encroached on the same; also to ascertain the lawful width of Marshall street from Main to Centre and if any of the abutters have encroached on the same and report to council." Mr. Whitaker thought the mover of this motion was implying that the city solicitor and city engineer were not doing anything. As to Marshall street, Mr. Whitaker was surprised to find that an old map of Marshall street was for a narrower street than the street is at present. Mr. Perry moved that the motion be committed to the officers mentioned which was carried after some trouble.

Vitrified Brick for Main Street.

A communication from the mayor recommended that the council order Main street paved with vitrified brick from the corner of State street to Eagle street without changing grade, the estimate expense being $12,500. Mr. Barnard moved that the council so order. His motion was carried, Mr. Hamer voting "no."

The New England Telephone company was given permission to put its wires underground on several streets.

These jurors were drawn: D. M. Wells, Terrance Farley, Clifford S. Veazie, Michael T. Fallon, George J. Tanner and D. Elmer.

The council then adjourned.

A Pleasant Voyage.

A cablegram was received Friday night announcing the safe arrival of E. S. Wilkinson and party at Queenstown, after a pleasant voyage.

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The school committee held a very important meeting at the city hall last night. The meeting resulted in making possible a manual training school for the city. The school will come in September, through the kind efforts of Principal Murdock and come in a way that costs the city very little. It is near the time when the city would be compelled to maintain a manual training school. The laws imposed these schools on cities of 20,000 inhabitant and this city has about that number.

The committee received last night from Principal Murdock of the normal school this list of nominations of teachers in Hopkins school, the school of observation and practice for the normal school: For grade 4, Miss Susan G. Lombard of Cambridge at a salary of $12 per week, the state to make the salary up to $500 a year; for grade 8, Miss Rose E. Searle of Newton at a salary of $12 per week, the state to make it up to $800 a year. These teachers were elected.

Mr. Murdock also presented the name of C. H. Stearns as teacher of manual training and agreed to give the city the use of a room at the normal school for manual training work and to furnish it with benches, tools and apparatus, provided the city pay the salary of the instructor until January 1, 1898. The school committee voted unanimously to take advantage of the offer and elected Mr. Stearns as instructor at the salary of $1,000 a year.

Miss Lombard is a graduate of Bridgewater normal school and is at present assistant of the teacher's training school at Cambridge, where she has been very successful. Miss Searle is at present teacher of grade 8 at the Claflin school at Newton where she has the reputation of being a very efficient teacher and disciplinarian. Mr. Stearns is a graduate of Worcester polytechnic institute of the class of 1891. He has taught in the Pennsylvania normal school three years, spent two years in New York college and is teacher in a New York mission school.

SUPERIOR COURT RISES.

The Tilton-Boston & Albany Motion Overruled. An Appeal Taken.

The June sitting of the Berkshire county superior court came to a close Friday afternoon and the judges, attorneys and jurors have experienced much discomfort from the heated court-room. Judge Bishop concluded, in the case before the second jury and the last of the sitting, to allow it to go to the jury, and an hour was consumed in the morning in settling some law questions before the arguments were made.

In the lengthy case for damages Lawyer Joyner for Great Barrington and Lawyer Crosby for the plaintiffs, George E. Harris and his sister, Mrs. Elizabeth W. Kilborn, spoke for an hour each. Judge Bishop's charge occupied nearly an hour and was an able review of the law bearing on the town's liability and also the care necessary on the part of the plaintiffs to sustain their action. It was an apparently close case, but the jury deliberated only about an hour and returned a verdict of $800 for Harris and $1,413 for Mrs. Kilborn, who was the more seriously injured. The defendant has some exceptions which will take the case to the supreme court.

Lawyer Wilcox argued his motion for a new trial in the case of Tilton, administrator, against the Boston & Albany railroad, where the jury awarded $3800, on the ground that the verdict was against the weight of the evidence and was also excessive. There was no opposition to the motion, but Judge Bishop held that, inasmuch as the case had been twice tried, both times against the defendant, and that under the statute the whole matter, including the amount of damages, was for the jury to find, he overruled the motion and the case goes up on appeal.

The adjournment came at 4 o'clock. All court and divorce cases went over.

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Among the many performing wild creatures which will be seen in the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' Consolidation of America's Greatest Menageries, Circuses and Hippodromes, at North Adams on Wednesday, July 21, Captain Woodward's school of performing huge sea lions and mild-eyed seals everywhere attract mirthful admiration, as the only exhibition of the kind, and one abounding in the quaintest, queerest and funniest illustrations of amphibious intelligence ever seen. A porpoise performing a polka at a fashionable hop would not be one whit more surprising than are many of the martial, musical and mimic successes of these strange scholars, with only tails and flippers to physically aid their sagacity. Their programme includes a rarely wonderful combination of salt water and ashore imitations and comicalities, which are so uniquely incredible and grotesque as to evoke shouts of laughter, and to at once establish them as clown pets with the children.

District Court.

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